IN THE CLAIMS

As shown below, please add new claims 19 and 20. Claims 1 and 9 are represented here for reference.

1. (Original) Transmission method for transmitting OFDM-signals,

comprising the steps of

modulating said signals onto a plurality of subcarriers using a OFDM-modulation method.

transforming said modulated signals into the time domain, and

transmitting said signals

characterized in

that in said modulating step every M-th subcarrier is modulated with a signal, wherein M is an integer and $M \ge 2$.

9. (Previously Amended) Receiving method for receiving OFDM-signals comprising M identical or respectively mirrored wave forms within one OFDM-timeburst, wherein M is an integer and $M \ge 2$, comprising the steps of

receiving said OFDM-signals,

correlating said wave forms to obtain time synchronization using M-1 correlators,

transforming said signals into the frequency domain, and

demodulating said signals.

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19. (New) Transmission method according to claim 1, wherein:

said modulating step includes providing a switch control signal to a switch having a first input and a second input, wherein the first input receives a signal to be modulated onto a subcarrier and the second input receives a zero value signal.

20. (New) Transmission apparatus according to claim 5, wherein:

said modulation means includes a switch having a first input and a second input, wherein the first input receives a signal to be modulated onto a subcarrier and the second input receives a zero value signal.

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